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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re application of:

Stephen E. LASSIG et al.

Application No. 10/644,269

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For: METHOD FOR PATTERNING A LAYER
OF A LOW DIELECTRIC CONSTANT
MATERIAL

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Applicants request that the Amendment filed on December 16, 2005 be considered and submit that the Amendment satisfies the submission requirement set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.

Applicants are attaching a check in the amount of \$910.00 to cover the RCE fee of \$790.00 set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) and the one-month extension of time fee of \$120.00 required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17.

In the event additional fees are due to enable the filing of this RCE, the Commissioner (or the Director) is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. LAM1P111.CIP).

Respectfully submitted,
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